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MU 500, CSDIC  
HEADQUARTERS SEVENTH ARMY  
APO 758 US ARMY

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Major Hansen  
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SIGNAL INFORMATION

SOURCE

GRAU, Ludwig, Pfc, 1 Bn Hq, 951 Regt, 361 Inf Div. A 19-year old former student from NUERNBERG who was anxious to please.  
Reliability: C-3 Date of Information: 7 Oct 44 Interrogator: J.K.

I. RASTER CODE

PW studied the RASTER Code in NUERNBERG, where he took a three-weeks' refresher course at 17 Signal Depot and Training Co. A total of about 20 hours were spent on this code.

PW understood that the code was being regularly taught in depot units since the beg of 44. It was to come into effect 1 Aug 44 but according to his knowledge it had not been actually in use so far. He believes that the reason the code is not in use is that it is too cumbersome and that the slightest mistake will spoil the entire message.

II. FREQUENCIES, CALL SIGNS AND CODES (1 BN, 951 REGT)

Frequencies and call signs in 1 Bn were changed every three days. The hour of change varied and was arranged by messenger or telephone.

The code in use was the double box cipher, but most messages were sent in the clear. Combinations were obtained for three days ahead and changed every three hours, on the hour, starting at 2400 hrs.

The frequency on 6 Nov, on the DCRA set, was 76, with an auxiliary frequency of 98. On 7 Nov the frequency was 53. At about 1900 hrs, 6 Nov, the frequency was changed to the frequency of 7 Nov, as an American station was found to be on 76. The call sign on both days was CLP.

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PAUL KUBALA, Maj, MI,  
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